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Police investigating fatal single-vehicle collision in Ellicott City

Howard County police are investigating a fatal single-vehicle collision in Ellicott City.

At approximately 8:30 a.m., a 2005 Honda Pilot was traveling westbound on Columbia Road just west of Hemlock Cone Way when it left the roadway for an unknown reason and struck a tree.

The driver and sole-occupant, a 29-year-old male, was pronounced dead at the scene. Preliminary investigation revealed he was not wearing a seatbelt at the time of the collision.

Columbia Road is closed between Hemlock Cone Way and Old Dragon Path as police continue to investigate.

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